REMARKS

In the present correspondence, claims 1-6 and 8-12 have been amended. Claims 13-15 have been canceled. Claims 16-21 have been added. All of the claims remaining in the application are now clearly allowable. Favorable consideration and a Notice of Allowance are earnestly solicited. Applicants believe that there are no additional fees due by way of this amendment; however, the Director is authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-1090.

If questions remain, the Examining Attorney is invited to contact applicants' agent, Richard C. Vershave, by telephone at (206) 622-4900 or by email at <u>rickv@SeedIP.com</u>.

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